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## CHICAGO MYSTERY MURDER SOLVED

### CONSERVATISM CHARACTERIZES MAY BUSINESS

Production and Distribution of Commodities Decline.

### ORDERS ARE SMALL

Bad Weather and Careful Buying Given As Reasons—Lack of Demand Limits the Coal Industry.

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 31.—Declining tendencies in both production and distribution of commodities was reported today by the Eighth Federal Reserve bank in a review of business conditions of Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri and Arkansas, received here covering a thirty-day period up to about May 21.

The recession was attributed to further emphasis of the "policy of ultra conservatism and caution which has obtained in many quarters during the recent months." Consumers are declared to be disposed to buy in quantities sufficient only to fill immediate needs.

An almost universal comment reported among consumers, wholesalers and jobbers is that in recent weeks the average size of orders is the smallest in years.

In such lines as dry goods, boots and shoes, drugs and chemicals and hardware the practice has been to buy in large quantities, piecemeal purchasing is reported the rule and "more goods are being shipped by express and parcels post than ever before."

The backward reason is given as another reason for the delayed movement of certain descriptions of merchandise, notably apparel, farm supplies and sporting goods. A return of unseasonably low temperatures and excessive rainfall has served to deprive the movement of goods of a considerable part of its spontaneity, the review stated.

**Weather Unfavorable**  
"Effects of the unfavorable weather have been felt particularly in the country where sales of seasonal goods have been below expectations and collections disappointing," it is reviewed. "The slowing down in distribution and the marked absence of forward buying were reflected in curtailed operations on the part of manufacturers."

The outstanding points of depression are noted:

Production of pig iron and steel for the country as a whole was smaller and there was a decrease in the output of automobiles, coal, lumber, furniture and textiles.

Iron and steel mills, foundries and machine shops in this district worked on reduced schedules.

Uncertainty relative to the demand for their products and price trends is causing manufacturers to hold off, and even where price concessions are offered, little interest is manifested in future requirements.

Decreases in April sales as contrasted with a year ago were shown by reporting manufacturers and wholesalers in: boots and shoes, clothing, dry goods, farm implements, groceries, furniture, job foundries, millinery, railroad supplies and stores.

In the south there are scattered complaints of lack of cotton hands, and a scarcity of help developed in sections where strawberries are raised in quantities.

For the United States as a whole, employment in manufacturing industries decreased 2.1 per cent in April, and pay roll, totals decreased 2.5 per cent.

### Less Grain Marketed

Marketing of grain, with exception of corn, decreased slightly in April as compared with the same month a year ago, and the movement of early fruits and vegetables was under normal for this season.

Larger receipts of corn had a depressing tendency on values of that cereal, and between April 15 and May 15, corn futures declined 2 1/8 to 2 3/8 cents per bushel.

The demand for good milling wheat was active, but lower grades were dull and there was practically no export demand.

Contracting is more backward than has been the case at this particular season for a number of years.

Railroad buying has fallen off, and

### TESTIMONY GIVEN LIE

Voluntary Witness Seared By the Committee.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—A voluntary witness before the Daugherty investigating committee, today threw the committee into an uproar when he shouted that he was the "man Frank Vanderlip tried to give a thousand dollars for perjured testimony against President Coolidge," and that he wanted to tell how Senator Wheeler, committee prosecutor, "got loose for Roxie Stinson," divorced wife of Jess Smith, friend of Daugherty. Chairman Brookhart shouted, "We don't want your lies," and Senator Ashurst told him he was a crook.

### FRENCH CABINET IN LAST FULL SESSION

Decree For Huge Saving Is the Parting Gift to Country, Says Maginot.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, May 31.—The last full cabinet council of the Poincare Government with President Millerand presiding took place yesterday at the Palace of the Elysee. The Government will meet again in council but the meeting will occur at the Foreign Office and Premier Poincare alone will be entrusted with the task of going to the presidential residence to present the collective resignation of the cabinet.

The present Government has practically ceased to exist so far as the President of the republic is concerned, for its members will not, again present themselves in a body before the chief of State.

The council yesterday decided to publish the decrees for the economies determined upon thus far, representing a yearly saving of 440,000,000 francs by retrenchment in the Ministries of Foreign Affairs, Finance, Public Works, Aeronautics, Merchant Marine and Commerce. These economies have been accomplished without necessitating a single administrative reform.

"This is our parting gift to the country," remarked Minister of War Maginot somewhat bitterly after the meeting.

### 28 Couples Observe Golden Anniversary In Belgium Village

BRUSSELS, May 31.—Twenty-eight couples, all residents of the pleasant town of Nivelles, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Ascension day.

Some of the couples will soon celebrate their diamond anniversaries, their golden weddings having fallen during the war when celebrations were postponed until better days.

### Week's Weather Forecast

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Weather outlook for week, Ohio valley and Tennessee: Local showers Monday or Tuesday and again near the end of the week. Otherwise, generally fair, temperature near or slightly below normal.

The movement for domestic use is confined chiefly to small cars for emergency purposes.

A further reduction in working time at active mines was reported, and a number of additional pits have closed for an indefinite period.

By-product coke manufacturers report extreme dullness in the demand for their outputs.

Production of soft coal for the country as a whole for the first 100 working days of the calendar year, or to May 3, totaled 160,101,000 net tons, which compares with 187,007,000 tons for the corresponding period in 1923 and 152,363,000 tons in 1922. Lack of demand remains by far the chief factor limiting production, and was responsible for losses of more than 50 per cent of fulltime capacity in a large majority of the producing districts.

### COMMISSIONERS ACCEPT STREETS

Defective Curb Must Be Repaired—Park Slag for East End Detour.

Construction work on East Cumberland and Fitzpatrick avenues was accepted by the city commission at a special meeting this afternoon. Warrants will be issued and, if the work is satisfactory with the state, property owners will be served with notice to pay for their share of the work.

Acceptance was made with the understanding that the Humbard Construction repair the defective curbs on Fitzpatrick avenue as soon as possible. Representatives of the firm stated that inasmuch as the state has over \$6,000 of their money, the job which will probably not cost over \$200 will be done without delay.

Resolution was offered and passed to obtain bids for the excavation and filling in of the parks on East Cumberland, the city bearing the expense. The slag and dirt from the excavation will be used on the detour or any other place that the city designates.

The city will order the closing of streets crossing Cumberland avenue from Tenth street to Fitzpatrick avenue, with the exception of the detour.

The city is anxious to receive the work in good shape as it will have the maintenance of East Cumberland avenue and Fitzpatrick avenue, a part of the Dixie Highway, until it is taken over by the state at the end of fifteen years.

Motion to have the city engineer fix the boundaries of sewer zones and submit same to the city in order that an ordinance for sewer construction may be drafted was passed by the commission.

### Louisville Live Stock

By Associated Press.

Cattle, 300, show unchanged; sheep, 800, steady, unchanged; spring lambs, \$17.

### 200 EDWARDS HEIRS ATTEND MEETING

Disension Develops In Louisville Assembly—Meet at Richmond Tuesday.

LOUISVILLE, May 31.—Disension smote him and thigh the progeny of Robert Edwards, claimants of 333,000,000 worth of property on lower Broadway, New York, on the basis of a 99-year lease reputed to have been made in 1778.

Nearly two hundred kith and kin, descended from the brothers of the original Robert Edwards, assembled at the Louisville Free Public Library where they were divided, like the sons of Noah, into three tribes, each of which gazed dubiously at the lineage of the others.

They arrived, in person or by proxy, from 11 states, including Texas and Nebraska, in response to a call sent out by Mrs. E. C. Tooke, of Shepherdsville, one of the descendants.

It developed that the eastern Kentucky delegation, led by J. T. Turpin, of West Irvine, Ky., representing an organization of about a hundred and fifty descendants, already had formed an association of their own and declined to cooperate with the remainder of the heirs because they had not been invited to appoint a committee to meet and frame the state incorporation.

Mr. Turpin, however, agreed to appoint a committee of five to meet with the board from the assembly made up of F. W. Edwards of Louisville; W. L. Martin, of Bowling Green; John Sawyer, of Frankfort; Mrs. Tooke and John Pendleton of Stanley. They will meet at Richmond Tuesday.

### Can't Open Vault at Post Office Today

The large vault at the postoffice in which the money and valuable registered packages are kept could not be opened today. The door has a combination lock which could not be opened this morning, even when the right numbers were turned. Efforts to open it continued throughout the morning but at noon today it was still locked.

### PRELIMINARIES OF PLAYGROUND WORK ARRANGED

Field Secretary Soon to Follow Senator Klutz.

### HELP ORGANIZE

Invitation Sent By the Kiwanis Club Committee—Klutz Enthusiastic Over Spirit Found Here.

The preliminary organization of community service and playground work for Middlesboro has been effected and a field secretary to complete the permanent organization will soon be on the grounds. This secretary, employed for from two to four weeks, will meet with a broadly representative group of men and women and work out the local program for community service. This secretary will also help initiate the permanent work and the full-time worker who will follow him.

Senator Whitehead Klutz, who has been here in the interest of the work the past ten days or more, telegraphed news of this decision to the national organization this morning, asking them to send the secretary at the earliest time possible. He says he is sure they will do this, although this is of course the busiest time of the year for the Association.

The invitation for the field secretary was signed by the members of the Kiwanis Club underprivileged child committee, empowered by the Kiwanians to act at their meeting last Thursday. Members of this committee are: Dr. U. G. Brummett, Major L. S. Helburn, Judge J. E. Evans and Supt. J. W. Bradner. A number of other local organizations have endorsed the movement.

Senator Klutz, who leaves Middlesboro tomorrow, says he has never seen a place where more enthusiasm was shown in the preliminary organization of the playground work. For this reason, he is positive that the permanent organization will go forward with no difficulty. Senator Klutz spoke over and over again of his delight in Middlesboro, both for its natural beauty and the hospitality and fine spirit of the people he found here. He emphasized the success which the city might be as a summer resort because of the delightful weather and scenery he had found here.

### JAP PROTEST IS PRESENTED HUGHES

Ambassador Formerly Delivers Tokio Message, Has No Comment.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The Japanese ambassador, acting on instructions from his government, today delivered to Secretary Hughes the protest made by Tokio against the exclusion provision of the new immigration act. Neither, it was said, have a statement to make.

### Wages In Germany Less Than Before War

BERLIN, May 31.—Current wages in Germany are substantially less than in pre-war times, according to recent statistical tables. It is contended that the purchasing power of wages today, when adjusted in accordance with the corresponding cost of living, is only about 73 percent of the pre-war purchasing power.

### REPORT FAVORABLY BARKLEY R. R. BILL

Proposes Substitution of National Arbitration Board for Present One.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The Howell and Barkley bill, proposing substitution of national arbitration boards for the railroad labor board was reported favorably by the Senate Interstate Commerce committee.

### TYSON SPEAKER MEMORIAL DAY

Graves of Twenty-Three Wars Decorated In Crossville Cemetery.

CROSSVILLE, Tenn., May 31.—Gen. L. D. Tyson of Knoxville, was the speaker at the memorial day exercises held here yesterday morning. The graves of the dead of the Civil War were decorated in the Crossville cemetery, twenty-three graves being decked with flowers. The procession of citizens from town, with General Tyson as guest of honor, paused at each grave to drop a tribute upon the mound or to stand for a moment in respectful silence.

Among the graves was that of Sgt. Milo Lemert, of the World war, whose memory was honored posthumously, the congressional medal of honor being sent to his father.

Following the decoration of graves a program was carried out in the grove in the middle of the cemetery. "America" was sung by the audience, after which a male quartet sang "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground." Gen. Tyson was then introduced by Major Walker.

Gen. Tyson called attention to the patriotism of Cumberland county, and its sacrifices in the World war, stating that Cumberland lost more men in the World war in proportion to the number of men than any county in the state. He said that he was glad to be present to tell Cumberland contains of the heroic deeds of their boys on the field of battle.

"We have here," he said, "not only Civil war veterans sleeping side by side, but veterans of the Spanish-American war, mingled their ashes with the veterans of the World war, thus showing that while our people were engaged in fratricidal battle, strife of the Civil war, the blood of both flowed in common for a reunited country in the war with Spain and the World war."

### BRADNER PLANS BUSY VACATION

Superintendent Will Attend Kiwanis Convention, Then Go to Columbia University.

Supt. J. W. Bradner will have a busy vacation this summer. He will teach in the state normal at Richmond all next week after which he will return here. He and Mrs. Bradner will make the trip to Richmond by motor. On June 13 he will leave for Denver where, as a delegate of the Middlesboro Kiwanis club, he will attend the Kiwanis International convention.

After returning to Middlesboro from the convention he will go to New York where he will be in the Columbia University for six weeks. He will return here about August 15 and remain in Middlesboro the rest of the summer.

### Two Arrested Here for Stealing Illinois Car

Herbert Wilson, charged with taking a Ford coupe from Danville, Ill., was arrested on the East End detour by police officers here yesterday. Floyd Wilson who was a passenger in the car was also taken in custody. The men were lodged in jail and the car was brought to the city hall.

William C. Timms, sheriff of the county in which Danville, Ill., is located, telegraphed a description of Herbert Wilson and the car he was charged with stealing. Officers at Harrogate saw the car pass and started in pursuit. They telephoned Middlesboro police officers who met the car on the detour and made the arrest. Herbert Wilson says he will return to Illinois without extradition papers. He claims that he did not steal the car, that he was in the habit of driving it when he wanted to.

### Three Enlist Yesterday

Three men enlisted in the army here yesterday, making a total of twenty-eight this month from local recruiting office. These were: Joe Leon and Roscoe Creech of Poor Fork and Frank Williams of Brush Creek.

Undergraduate students in all universities and colleges numbered 260,466 last year.

### Youths Confess To Kidnapping And Murder of Robert Franks

Members of Wealthy Chicago Families Tell of Plot.

### PLANNED LAST NOV.

University of Chicago Post-Graduate Students Say They Then Had No Definite Victim In Mind.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, announced today that Nathan E. Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, youthful members of wealthy Chicago families and both post-graduate students at the University here, had confessed they kidnapped and murdered Robert Franks, 14-year-old son of Jacob Franks, retired millionaire pawnbroker and manufacturer.

They said they planned the kidnapping in great detail last November, both through the spirit of adventure and because they wanted the \$10,000 ransom they demanded. Crowe said they were determined upon no definite victim and that the kidnapping and murder of young Franks was merely incidental.

According to Crowe, the two young men contemplated the kidnapping of the son of Julius Rosenwald, internationally known philanthropist.

Young Loeb is the son of Albert H. Loeb, vice-president of Sears, Roebuck and Co., of which Mr. Rosenwald is head. Leopold's father is a wealthy box manufacturer especially well-known in the lake shipping circles. Both families live in the wealthy Hyde Park district on the South Side, immediately north of the University of Chicago.

The adventure of the business appealed to young Loeb and Leopold, the attorney said. The boys told him they finally settled upon young Franks as their victim. They admitted taking him in an automobile, striking him with a chisel which has been found and then thrusting a gag into his mouth, strangling him. They shifted the blame upon each other, however, when asked who struck the blow, the state attorney said.

The spectacles found near the body furnished the principal clue which led to the arrest. Cyclists' stores were scoured for the place where they were finally traced to young Leopold. He admitted that they might be his. Discrepancies in his statements about using the family automobile, however, led to admissions connecting both boys with the murder and they finally broke down and confessed.

State Attorney Crowe announced that it was no different from any other murder and that the case would be pressed. Families of both boys are stunned by the confession which has uncovered the murder committed for no reason apparently, unless the boys' explanation of adventure appealed to them.

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### Giles Stays On Bond For Sellers In Killing

H. H. Giles is still on D. C. Sellers' bond for the Virginia road killing, he stated this morning. He has abandoned efforts to free himself of the responsibility. Mr. Sellers has made another bond for the alleged shooting episode, recently between Cumberland Gap and Middlesboro, according to Mr. Giles.

No report of the result of the grand jury investigation of the shooting affair has been made, though local witnesses testified before the inquisitorial body. The circuit court clerk states that so far as he knows no indictment has been returned against Sellers.

Miss Marx Seriously Ill  
Friends here of Miss Williamson Marx are grieved to hear that she has been seriously ill from pneumonia occurring the past few days but is now better now. She is in a Lexington hospital. Miss Marx has been in Lexington since leaving here.

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## WOULD REGULATE RAILROAD "PROPAGANDA"

A resolution recently introduced into Congress by Senator Gooding calls upon the Interstate Commerce Commission to investigate so-called railroad "propaganda," in a way that seems to us manifestly unfair. The resolution, in part, reads:

Resolved, That the Interstate Commerce Commission is directed to investigate, along such lines and with such detail as to reveal clearly and accurately, the amounts expended for propaganda, as defined in this resolution, during the calendar year, 1923, by each common carrier by railroad, or partly by railroad and partly by water, subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, and designated by the Commission as a Class I carrier. The term "propaganda" means (a) the preparation, publication, or distribution of advertising matter, magazines, books, pamphlets, newspaper articles and editorials, or other forms of literature, the engaging of speakers, or other forms of publicity, oral, written, or printed; (b) the payment of compensation, or travel, subsistence, or other expenses, in connection with services rendered by any person; (c) the making of contributions to any association, bureau, institute, committee, chamber of commerce, or similar organization; or (d) any other method of propaganda, if such publicity, service, contribution, or other method of propaganda is designed—

(1) To mold public sentiment so as to be favorable to the railroads or with regard to any State or Federal legislative matter;

(2) To influence acts or decisions of any legislative, administrative, or judicial officer or agency, whether State or Federal, or of any member, officer, or employee of any such agency; or

(3) To secure the election, appointment, or removal of public officers or employees or the creation or abolishment of public agencies, whether State or Federal.

Just why Congress should be permitted to conduct its attack upon the carriers while they are denied the privilege of fighting radicalism through the dissemination of facts to the American people is, to us, incomprehensible. Besides, such an infringement as this on one private corporation is but a step to regulation of all advertising. We do not believe that such a measure can be passed but we do believe that the public should do all in its power to discourage it or any thing else of the kind.

## AS THE ALLY OF HISTORY

The proposal to enlist motion pictures as the ally of the historical merit, within some of the bill's limitations, which would create an American library of motion picture history deserves consideration. But the rest of the bill, which would create a motion picture bureau equipped to take the pictures that went into the library, should be eliminated.

We have today in motion pictures a medium for making men and events live again before our eyes. We should give a good deal to have pictures of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, the great debates in the constitutional convention, the inauguration of Washington, Lincoln at Gettysburg and Grant at Appomattox. Artists try to reconstruct these

scenes, but they fall short of reality. The more fortunate historian of the future is sure to regard motion pictures of this age as among his most valuable material. This material should be preserved for him.

Fortunately our film services take pictures of all important events. All the government need do is to buy such of these films as may be important historically and file them away. That is one thing. To start the government in the motion picture business by creating a bureau, equipped, manned and ready to "shoot" every event that strikes its fancy, is quite another. This latter half of the plan would entail about the most unnecessary expense that could be factored on the public treasury.—Milwaukee Journal.

When a man tells about a fish he caught he just stretches.

Good people seem to have a hard time finding something to do.

The average crop of a coconut tree is 60 nuts, but the crop of a general election varies.

No matter how rough the sea of matrimony you can steer safely by following the chart.

The chief trouble with being a man is shaving takes longer than sneering on a little rouge.

A conservative estimate would be that half the fruit jars have held in one time in their lives.

When you start out to get rich quick you are liable to get poor quicker.

Bad news from England. Most of the war weddings are failures. Perhaps they knew how to fight too well.

A man in a new spring suit feels as conspicuous as if he had just had his hair bobbed.

The average man has to keep busy to be happy because if he stops and thinks his conscience start burling.

Twelve men are planning to fly over the North Pole, which will be quite a bit of excitement for the pole cat.

Few people notice you as long as you are good, but when you start out to borrow trouble the interest is very high.

## Junction First Grade Grateful to Patrons

We are reprinting this letter of thanks as received:

"The teachers and pupils of the First grade room at the Junction School wish to express their thanks and sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses and courtesies extended to them by the school officials, the Board of Education, the Kiwanis Club, the banks and last but not least the patrons for their hearty cooperation.

"Surely the lines of a teacher who is so fortunate as to be accepted in the Middlesboro schools 'fall in pleasant places.'"

## HUNT'S WASHINGTON LETTER

By Harry B. Hunt  
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 31.—The Ku Klux Klan issue threatens to make confusion more confused at the Democratic national convention.

Backers of Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, the only presidential candidate who has taken a flat-footed stand in opposition to the Klan, announce their intention of making a determined fight at the Democratic platform a specific and definite anti-Klan plank.

The very threat of such procedure is enough to cause chills and fever in the delegations from states where the Klan is entrenched, and to posture with acute agony all candidates who have pussy-footed on the Klan issue.

If the Klan plank is actively agitated, it may give the Fiery Cross in this year's convention a position even surpassing that of Bryan's famous "Cross of Thorns" in '96.

As one outsider puts it, after looking over the Underwood-Smith delegations, it may become a contest of the Fiery Cross versus the Holy Cross.

The threat of a Klan and anti-Klan lineup at the convention opens interesting speculation as to a possible coalition between the Underwood-Smith forces.

Smith will have at the start some 400 votes, Underwood about 100. Opposed to these will be McAdoo with some 110. The remaining 150-odd will be scattering "favorite son" votes for the dark-horse delegation.

Not until disintegration of some one of the three major blocks begins can any candidate be within gun-shot of nomination. And this time is variously set as from Monday, June 20, to Friday, July 1.

In addition to the probable battle over an anti-Klan plank, another fight that will have to be settled before the

## RADIO PROGRAM TO BE BROADCAST IN U. S. TOMORROW

Courtesy of Radio Digest  
By Associated Press.

WSB—Atlanta Journal (129) 7:30 Wesley Memorial.  
WGN—Chicago Tribune (370) 6:30 musical.

KYW—Chicago (536) 6 Chicago Sunday Evening Club.  
WFAA—Dallas News (176) 6-7 Bible Class 7:30-9:30 Commencement exercises; 9:30-11 music.

WOC—Davenport (484) 8 service; 9:30 musical.

WWJ—Detroit News (517) 6:30 St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral.

WBAP—Fort Worth Star-Telegram (176) 11 a. m.-12:15 service; 1:5 organ; 5:6 concert; 11:12 popular program.

WHB—Kansas City (111) 8-10 songs, classical and sacred music.

KILJ—Los Angeles (385) 8 concert; 9 organ; 10 De Luxe program.

KFI—Los Angeles (169) 8:15-12 concert.

WGI—Medford (300) 6:30 Boston Federation of Churches, musical.

WLAG—Minneapolis-St. Paul (117) 7:35 service.

CKAC—Montreal (125) 2:30 concert.

WEAF—New York (192) 5:20-7 Capitol Theater; 7 organ.

KGO—Oakland (312) 10 educational, musical.

WOAW—Omaha (526) 9-11 music at.

KDKA—Pittsburgh (326) 4:30 service.

WFI—Philadelphia (395) 5:30 service.

KFO—San Francisco (123) 10:30 orchestra.

WGY—Schenectady (380) 5:30 services.

## Surrender to Sheriff After Resisting Hours

LAKE CHARLES, La., May 30.—Carl Christensen, and his mother, who barricaded themselves in their home here this week when officers sought to arrest the man for stabbing another, and who fought off the police for hours, wounding three members of attacking force, surrendered yesterday to Sheriff Lyons. J. C. Brown, prominent business man of Baton Rouge, and a distant relative of Mrs. Christensen, arrived here early yesterday from the state capital and accompanied by the sheriff went to the Christensen home. After a lengthy conversation Brown induced the Christensens to come out of their forts.

## New Books To Library

Two volumes of "The Government of Kentucky" have been received at the Carnegie library. They are "Reports of the Efficiency Committee" during the past year and were presented to the library by the State Library Commission.

## Picnic Weather

Improvement of our school system more than offsets all interest paid in the advantages which we will receive under the bond issue plan. These advantages accrue within a certain fixed reasonable length of time under the bond plan. Under the pay-as-you-go plan they may some day be achieved or they may not.

Seventh—In the bond bill provision is made for \$10,000,000 to be expended on the primary system in the various counties; one-third according to population, one-third according to mileage, and the remaining \$10,000,000 of the

First—We endorse the \$75,000,000 bond issue in the form submitted by the legislature to the people of Kentucky, and we as much approve the \$25,000,000 of the bond issue for the schools, state institutions, and the funding of the public debt as we do the \$50,000,000 for road purposes.

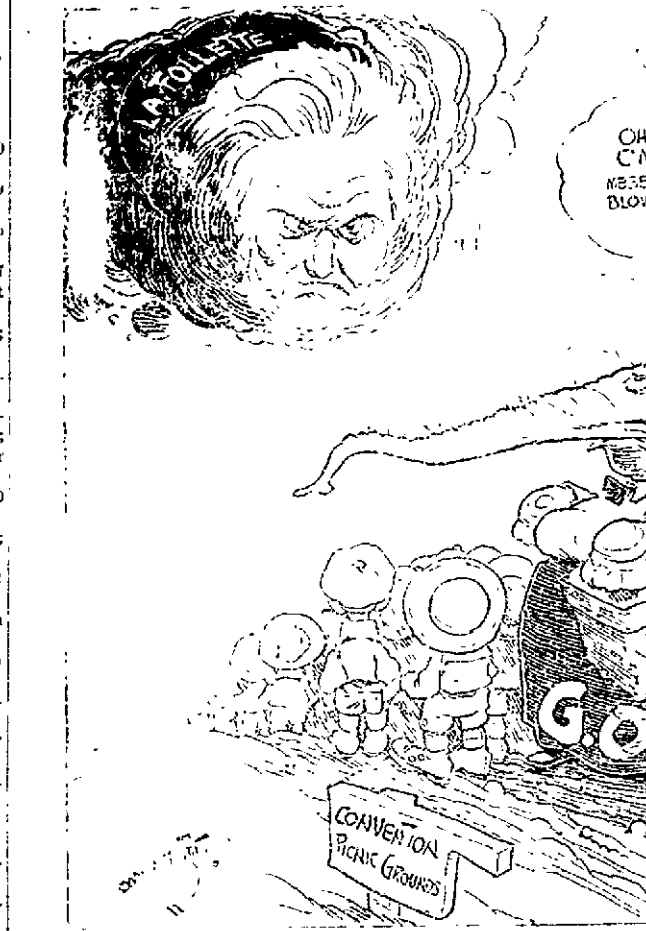
Second—While this association primarily advocates the building of good roads, yet we favor the improvement of the state along educational lines so that we may cease to rank near the bottom of the list of states and take our place among the foremost of the states in education. Schools and roads necessarily go hand in hand. Common humanity demands that we care for our unfortunate, and to that end it is necessary that our charitable and penal institutions be modernized and rehabilitated. Our credit requires that in any bond issue to be voted upon, provision shall be made for funding our floating debt.

Third—We have had more than 120 years of pay-as-you-go and we are now as we are, with five or six million dollars of floating and unfunded debts, university poorly and inadequately equipped, normal schools struggling for existence, rural schools in many sections without teachers for several consecutive years, many rural school buildings not fit for occupancy and a "system" of roads which has made Kentucky notorious as the "detour" state.

Fourth—The bond issue will build roads twice as quickly as under the present or so-called pay-as-you-go plan. Under the bond plan there will be available for construction \$10,000,000 each year during the five-year period, and in addition to that all federal aid and county donations and the excess of annual revenue over the amount necessary to pay the sinking fund charges and provide for maintenance.

Under the present or pay-as-you-go plan for the same period, after deducting maintenance charges there will be from \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000 available for construction annually including federal aid and county donations.

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## Ky. Good Roads Association Adopts Platform on Bond Issue

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 30.—The Kentucky Good Roads Association assembled in convention at the Brown hotel here today, adopted the following platform relative to the \$75,000,000 bond issue:

First—We endorse the \$75,000,000 bond issue in the form submitted by the legislature to the people of Kentucky, and we as much approve the \$25,000,000 of the bond issue for the schools, state institutions, and the funding of the public debt as we do the \$50,000,000 for road purposes.

Second—While this association primarily advocates the building of good roads, yet we favor the improvement of the state along educational lines so that we may cease to rank near the bottom of the list of states and take our place among the foremost of the states in education. Schools and roads necessarily go hand in hand. Common humanity demands that we care for our unfortunate, and to that end it is necessary that our charitable and penal institutions be modernized and rehabilitated. Our credit requires that in any bond issue to be voted upon, provision shall be made for funding our floating debt.

Third—We have had more than 120 years of pay-as-you-go and we are now as we are, with five or six million dollars of floating and unfunded debts, university poorly and inadequately equipped, normal schools struggling for existence, rural schools in many sections without teachers for several consecutive years, many rural school buildings not fit for occupancy and a "system" of roads which has made Kentucky notorious as the "detour" state.

Fourth—The bond issue will build roads twice as quickly as under the present or so-called pay-as-you-go plan. Under the bond plan there will be available for construction \$10,000,000 each year during the five-year period, and in addition to that all federal aid and county donations and the excess of annual revenue over the amount necessary to pay the sinking fund charges and provide for maintenance.

Under the present or pay-as-you-go plan for the same period, after deducting maintenance charges there will be from \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000 available for construction annually including federal aid and county donations.

Fifth—The bond issue is not a mortgage and will not increase taxes one single cent. The three sources of revenue provided for in the bond bill, that is, the motor license tax, the 3-cent gasoline tax and the 3.45-cent property tax, will be levied and collected whether or not the bond issue is voted, and these three sources of revenue now bring into the treasury sufficient funds not only to pay for principal and interest due on the entire bond issue within thirty years, but also to maintain the roads in the meanwhile.

Sixth—The unnecessary annual injury to automobiles by bad roads and increased cost of operation resulting therefrom, amounts to several times the yearly interest charges on the entire bond issue. The payment of interest is not an economic loss nor is it an expenditure of money for unproductive purposes. The use and enjoyment by the people of the state of a good road system and the increased facilities for education resulting from the

\$50,000,000 for road purposes is to be used for connecting the road system.

By the bond bill each county is guaranteed its proportionate part of the \$10,000,000 to be expended upon the primary system in that county. Under the present or so-called pay-as-you-go plan there is no guarantee to the counties of any sum whatsoever to be expended upon the primary system in that county, within any stated time.

Under the bond plan there is an absolute guarantee to each county of its proportionate part for road building within five years. Under the pay-as-you-go plan there is no guarantee of any kind.

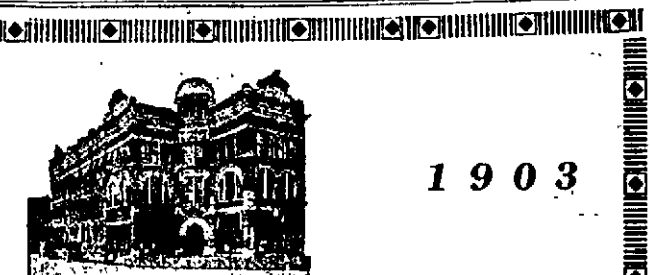
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# SOCIETY

Items of news and society in your neighborhood will interest other readers. Why not phone them in? Call 63.

**AT TIMES**  
At times our spirit swoons within us  
and we feel  
A hopeless helplessness upon us, steal;  
We count our scars, but better lost  
and say,  
In pessimistic frame: "Life does not  
pay."

At times we look with envious  
thoughts and deep chagrin  
On those who own the prize we could  
not win—  
Those "favored ones" who win with  
reckless ease  
The thing we've prayed for on our  
bended knees.

But swooning never won for man a  
single goal.  
And hopelessness can damn the  
whitest soul;

While covetousness, envy, discontent  
Can quickly make the happiest in-  
fant.

Teach thy rebellious soul this whole  
some truth to own—  
The God who made thee still sits on  
His throne,  
And all is just, no matter what it  
seems,  
And justice is not measured by thy  
dreams.  
—Los Angeles Times.

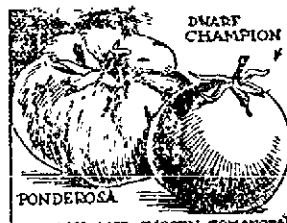
**Woman's Auxiliary Meets Monday**  
The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. The executive board will meet at 2:30 o'clock just preceding the Auxiliary meeting.

## SMOOTH VS. BIG TOMATOES

Heavy tomatoes for canning and medium-sized tomatoes of smooth skin and regular shape for slicing raw are the two types from which the gardener has to select his seeds or plants. Of the former type, Ponderosa is the best of the lot and practically the only one of the giant fruited sort now planted. The yellow fruited sort of this variety is extra fine and many connoisseurs believe it one of the finest flavored tomatoes that grows for eating raw.

The smooth medium-sized tomatoes have been a matter of specializing until now the distinctions are rather finely drawn for the average gardener who can select according to earliness more conveniently than on any other basis. Earliness is the earliest and a popular variety. This type has been selected until nearly all seeds men have their own strains developed to a high point. John Baer, another smooth, round variety of fine quality, is a little later than Earliness and Bonny Best comes along after John Baer. Chalk's Early Jewel is a rival of Bonny Best and is a favorite among gardeners in the Northern states. All of these varieties are excellent and the difference in their time of ripening is only a few days.

June Pink, a very handsome pink-skinned variety, is another favorite tomato, ripening with Earliness. Avon



Early is another extra early tomato which ripens along with Earliness and is of attractive color. The gardener will have to decide his own notions among these various tomatoes. For those who do not want to take the trouble to grow tomatoes to a single stem on stakes, the best way, the dwarf types offer the greatest attraction. The Dwarf Stone is characteristic of this class and the most largely grown. It is a fairly early variety, prolific and with large-sized fruits. Dwarf (Champion) is earlier and not so large fruited, with a treelike growth that makes it attractive to the small gardener who hasn't much time for training his vines.

For big tomatoes, Ponderosa is the winner. This tomato needs training to stakes to be at its best and it hangs out tremendous fruits in both the scarlet and yellow types. Crimson Cushion or Beef-steak tomato is another of the large ones.

## Say Coolidge's Success Due In Large Part to His Wife

The following short sketches of Calvin Coolidge are culled from an article on him in the June number of the International Book Review:

Calvin Coolidge inherited brevity of speech. His father, Col. John C. Coolidge, replied to an invitation to attend a dinner in honor of his son in perhaps the shortest recorded letter: "Can't come. Thank you."

Judge Field, a Northampton friend of Calvin Coolidge, said of him, "He is a most inscrutable little devil."

When Calvin Coolidge was a student at Amherst he was considered a model student. Later in life, he said when asked if he had gone in for athletics: "Yes, I used to act as stakeholder. I tended to the education of my head, not my legs."

Mr. Coolidge's political success was due in no small part to the winsome, engaging personality, and instinctive tact of his wife, Grace Goodhue. Calvin's courtship was quiet but compelling. Seldom has any man been so fortunate in his wife.

Judge Richard W. Irvin's thumbnail sketch of his friend, President Coolidge is: "Like a singed cat, he is better than he looks."

As a rule, nothing succeeds in the United States like advertising, but Mr. Coolidge, far from courting publicity, has seemed to be indifferent to it. He never talks about himself, or for that matter, about anyone else.

When the balloting for the Vice-President was in order (at the last convention), there seemed to be no opposition to the selection of Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin, but a wave of enthusiasm swept the convention when a delegate from Oregon unexpectedly named Calvin Coolidge. At that moment anyone might have been pardoned for seeing in Calvin Coolidge a man of destiny.

## WOMEN WANT MORE INTERESTING BOOKS

Prize Essay of Federated Women's Clubs Asks True-to-Life Fiction.

The prize-winning essay of the General Federation of Women's Clubs upon the subject, "What Do the Two Million Seven Hundred Thousand Federated Club Women Want from the Publishers?" won by Mrs. John B. Roberts of Philadelphia, is presented in the June International Book Review.

The essence of the successful composition is: "We Club women want books that are interesting. We want biography that shows a man's soul as well as the facts of his life. We want autobiography that is not conceited."

"We want poetry that sings, and also poetry that gives us a jolt, meter or free verse, but it must be poetry that makes us feel... We want poetry that wakes an echo in our souls, that shows us new beauty in the world, new meaning in old, eternal truth, new depths in the heart of man."

"We want fiction that is true to life. That does not mean it may not be imaginative... We want truth, not a pathological treatise... Truth is not indecency. All truth is not nasty. We have not jaded appetites."

"We do not prefer our mutton a little high, or bury our salmon, like

Alaskan Indians, till it becomes putrid. We feel that the lack of reticence of some writers becomes a bit shallow. They probably know nothing worse or they would have told it."

"We do not want books that point a moral. We prefer to make our own deductions. We want books about living souls."

The prizes, considerably augmented by additional gifts from the Publisher's Weekly and Frederick A. Stokes, will be awarded at the nineteenth biennial convention of the Federation which will be held in the Burdette Auditorium at Los Angeles, California, from June 3 to June 13. It is also planned to promulgate ways and means of raising the standards of publications to meet the expressed desires of the affiliated women at this time.

## PUBLICITY CAUSE OF LOSING THRONE

Finds Rad's and Press Give Too Full Details of King George's Independence.

By Associated Press.

BUCHAREST, May 30.—Kings and queens do not have it all their own way in these days after the war. Queen Marie of Romania, while in Paris, got a sharp reminder of that fact when she was notified in a private dispatch that the government had invited her son-in-law, Ex-King George of Greece, to leave Rumania as soon as he conveniently could.

The invitation was the result of ex-King George's issuance of a public statement to the effect that whatever the Greek republicans now in power would like him to do, he had no intention of doing it. He added that the throne of Greece was his and his children's, and he did not intend to abdicate, either in his own name or in the name of the family.

The matter became something of an international incident when an official in the Rumanian press bureau transmitted the item abroad by radio.

This constructive incorrectness on the part of the Rumanian government so deeply agitated the Greek minister here that he wired his immediate resignation to Athens and it was forthwith accepted.

Premier Bratianu of Rumania, however, made no delay in admitting that an impolite thing had been done, a thing that smacked of interference in the internal affairs of Greece. Then followed the pressing invitation to ex-King George to leave Rumania and the unofficial transmission of the fact to Queen Marie in Paris.

## EUROPEAN MALARIA RAGES UNCHECKED

Quinine Shortage Given as Cause — Organization to Study Health Conditions.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, May 29.—The menace of malaria, which is affecting 8,000,000 people in southeastern Europe, and the steps which must be taken to counteract the spread of the disease, are being considered by the health organization of the League of Nations. To this end the British government has sent representatives to the meeting of the health commission.

At the request of the governments of Greece and Albania the League has sent commissions to study conditions in those countries, and will shortly send representatives to Persia. According to the Greek ministry of health there are 2,000,000 people in Greece, or about a third of the total population, who are suffering from malaria.

According to the report, recurring epidemics of cholera plague, relapsing fever, small pox and malaria, have occurred throughout Persia during the last 11 years. Malaria is the most widespread of these diseases, and has been so severe that entire villages have had to be abandoned. In the Ukraine alone 446,378 cases

of malaria were reported during the first ten months of 1923, while local statistics further show that only two-thirds of a ton of quinine was available for distribution. Altogether, 4,800,000 cases of malaria have so far been registered in Russia.

The greatest obstacle which the health commission will have to overcome is the scarcity of quinine, of which only 600 tons are manufactured annually.

## Woman Wins Suit For Damaged Smile

PARIS, May 29.—If by careless driving when out with a perfect lady you get her into an accident that robs her of her smile, you'll pay for it, and if the lady in question is a professional smile, it comes pretty high here in France.

Twenty thousand francs is what Mme. Jane Logan, a musical comedy actress, has just received as damages from her motoring escort of a year ago. The smash-up she figured in left her with scars on the right ear, the forehead and the lips. In sewing up the last-named wounds, the face was so contorted as to make Mme. Logan's famed footlight smile a thing of the past. Hence the lawsuit.

## Richmond Farmer Tells How Cat Mothered Young Mink

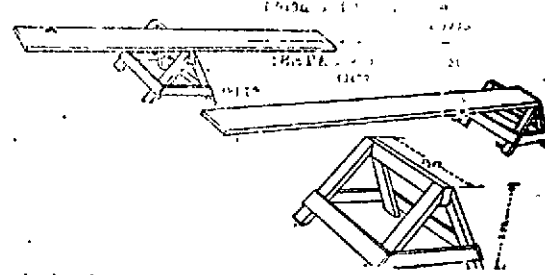
This story from the Richmond Daily Register is a good one, any way:

A. B. Tudor, who lives on the Big Hill pike not far from Richmond, has reported to The Daily Register an unusual incident, stating that a cat on his place has been mothering two young mink which he put with her some time ago.

For some time Mr. Tudor had been raising chickens and set a trap for the thief, catching an old mink. The following day he was attracted to the barn and in digging under the foundation discovered two small baby minks. Thinking that he might have some fun with them he dropped them in the box with the old cat and her three kittens. The cat became a mother to the orphan mink at once and treats them as if they were her own.

## BACKYARD PLAYGROUNDS

BUILD A CHEAP TEETER AT HOME



This is the fourth of a series of 10 articles on the construction and use of playground equipment adapted to the back yard.

By W. C. Batchelor

The seesaw or teeter is at once a safe and fascinating piece of play equipment. It has an added advantage in being one of the most inexpensive to construct and the fact that it uses requires co-operation indicates that it teaches this most valuable quality.

Material needed:  
One piece 2 inches by 10 inches by 12 feet.  
One piece, 2 inches by 1 inches by 12 feet.

One piece, 2 inches by 6 inches by 12 feet.  
One pound, No. 16 casing nails.  
(Approximate cost, \$1.70.)

There is a double advantage in building this with a movable base as indicated in the accompanying sketch. Any child will soon discover that by placing this base at one end of the plank he has made an incline to run up and jump off or to bounce upon.

The absence of cleats across the middle of the plank allows adjustment of the length on either side of the fulcrum to accommodate two persons of varying weight. In this way an older person may teeter with a child of any size.

## Transformation of Gang of Boys By Community Service

The Community Service department of the Playground and Recreation Association of America, cites the following true story of a "gang" as substantiation of reasons for the existence of the community service in Middlesboro:

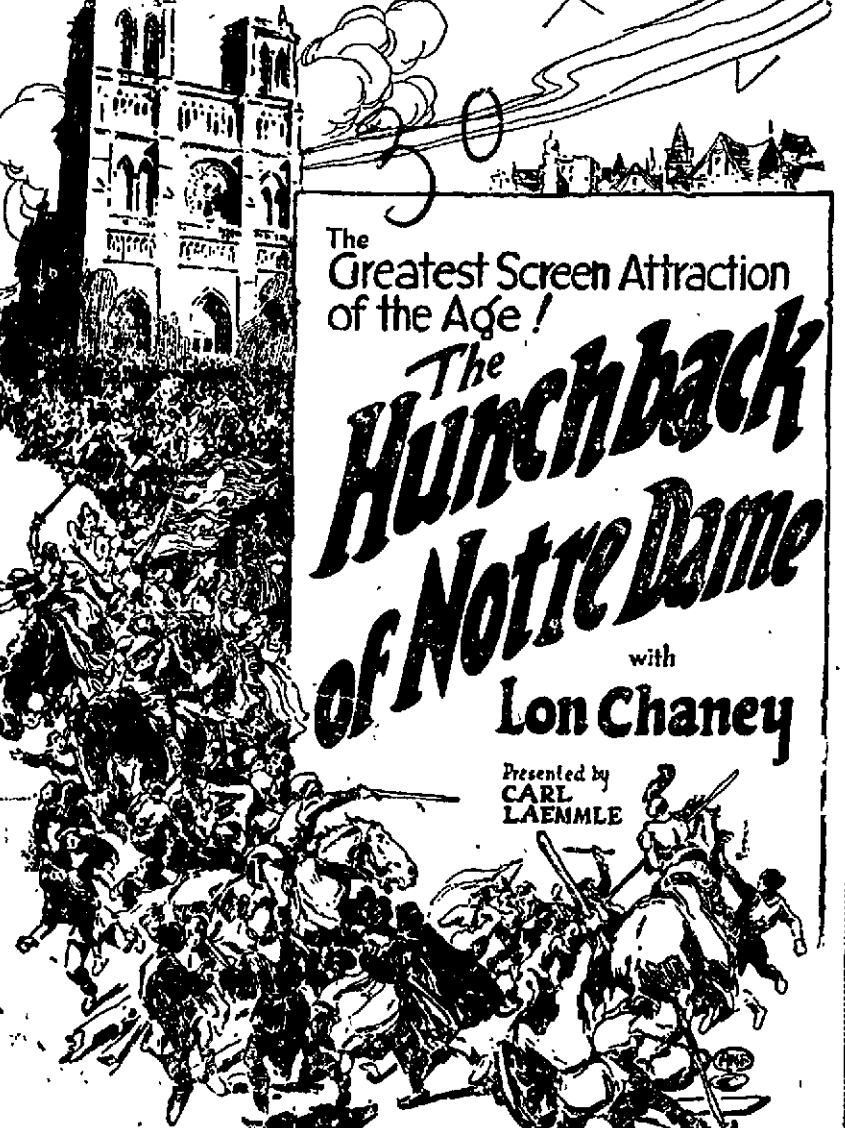
"This gang robbed and intimidated a community of 18,000 until two members had been sent to prison and all members were in a bad way. The community service was called in to help in the matter and organized an athletic club of more than two hundred members, secured its

own club rooms; had more than one hundred members placed on the honor roll by the superior court; cleaned the town camping site and baseball grounds and organized three baseball teams; furnished boxing bouts and other entertainment for the American Legion; organized a night school for its members, emphasizing civic and business training; sent back to school two members who had stopped unnecessarily early; realized the citizens' dream of many years in helping erect four \$450 street signs worth \$1,000; had paroled in its custody by the local court boys found guilty of misdemeanor; now has the special approval of the business men's organization and the full respect of the entire community."

Among the ancient peoples of the east there was a deep-rooted belief that a man's glory lay in his beard.

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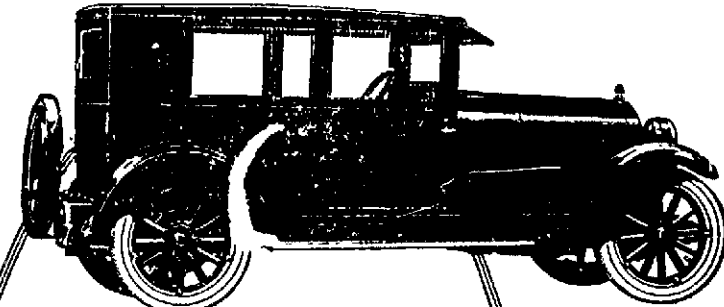
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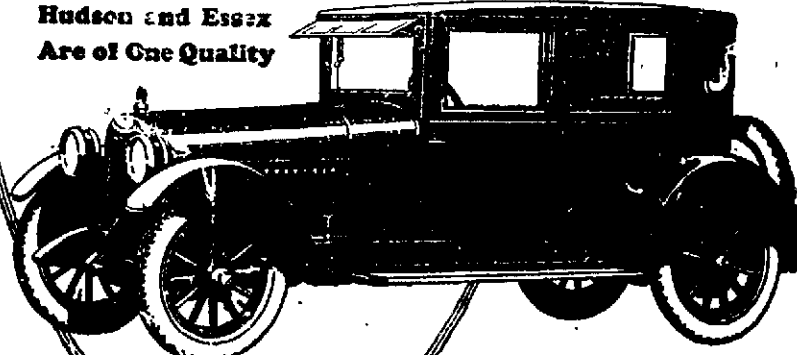


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**First M. E. Church**  
Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. E. L. Johnson, superintendent. Morning services at 11 a. m., Epworth League at 6:15 p. m., and evening service at 7:45 p. m. The pulpit will be occupied by the pastor both services dealing with subjects leading up to the revival. The Rev. W. B. Archer, pastor.

**First Baptist Church**  
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. S. M. Reams, superintendent. Morning services at 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "How To Pay." B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "Preparations for Life's Greatest Event." The Rev. Sam P. Martin, pastor.

**M. E. Church, South**  
Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. J. S. Wright, superintendent. Morning services at 11 o'clock, church conference and reception of members, with baptism for infants and adults. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "The Two Ways." Special music by the orchestra at the evening service. The Rev. W. K. McClure, pastor.

**Christian Church**  
Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. H. R. Chandler, superintendent. Morning services at 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "Can a Man be a Christian Without Being a Church Member?" Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "A Young Man's Question." The Rev. A. B. Reeves, pastor.

**Christian Science Society**  
Masonic Building, Twentieth Street. Services Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject: Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism. Denounced. Golden text: Romans 13:12. "The night is far spent, the day is at hand: let us therefore cast off the works of darkness and let us put on the armor of light." Wednesday evening testimonial meetings, 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. C. A. Blackburn, superintendent. Morning services at 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "Freedom Before Service." Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m., Intermediate Endeavor at 4:30 p. m., and Senior Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon theme, "The call of the world to the human heart and the consequent tendency to linger in it and postpone decisive action." Dr. Rutherford E. Douglas, pastor.

## NORTH ENDORSES INTERRACIAL PLAN

One of Finest Expressions of Christianity, Say Methodist Bishops.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 31.—The Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in their recent address to the General Conference in session in Springfield, gave their warm endorsement to the movement recently developed in the South for the adjustment of race relations by the methods of conference and cooperation. This is significant as an indication of the growing understanding and sympathy which is binding the different sections of the country together. It is also a notable tribute to the effectiveness of the interracial plan which is now being widely worked out in the South. The Interracial Commission referred to was organized in Atlanta at the close of the war and now has a number of 800 in thirteen Southern States. The Bishops' statement referred to is as follows:

"One of the finest expressions of our Christianity of today is the effort of many groups and agencies in various sections of our country for the promotion of good will, mutual confidence, and brotherly cooperation between the races. These movements to bridge the chasm of interracial misunderstanding and hate meet our hearty approval and are worthy of our sympathy and cooperation. Their work has not been carried forward without much prayer and the leadership of Him whose great commandment is to love thy neighbor as thyself. Among the agencies which we should heartily support are the University Race Commission, composed of southern educators; the Commission on Interracial Cooperation, composed of both races, men and women; and the Commission on Interracial Relations of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ. We call our people to associate themselves actively with these agencies and other organizations for the promotion of peace and good will toward men everywhere, so that there shall be less friction and more cooperation, less suspicion and more confidence, less hatred and more Christian love."

## When the Pastor's Away---



The congregation of the Community Methodist Church of Hampden, Mass., find that the radio makes a first class substitute. The above pictured amplifier mounted the pulpit recently when Rev. H. J. Fulton, pastor, was suddenly called away. It was turned in on another church and the services went on without interruption.

## METHODISTS MAY UNITE SCHOOLS

Bishop Darlington, Chairman of Conference in Louisville June 11.

WINCHESTER, May 30.—Plans to combine the educational interests of the Kentucky and Louisville Conference of the Methodist Church were made known here yesterday. A joint committee from the two conferences held a recent meeting in Louisville and formulated detailed plans for effecting the merger. The proposal will be laid before a joint meeting of the boards of education of the two conferences in Louisville June 11.

## Many Attend Memorial Service at Pineville

The Memorial service at Pineville yesterday was well attended and very appropriate throughout. Congressman J. M. Robison made a very eloquent and fitting speech in the church where the program was rendered. Attorney Wilcox of Pineville, also made a speech.

After the services, there was a parade to the cemetery. A number of men were in uniform. Sgt. J. D. Miller of Middlesboro was in charge of the firing squad which fired a salute at the cemetery. Many from here attended the services.

## WIFE OF FORMER INSPECTOR DIES

Mrs. Sewell Widely Known As Educator, Had Lived In This Section.

LOUISVILLE, May 31. Mrs. Matie Reid Sewell, 64 years old, of London, Ky., known as a civic leader and educator all over the state, died at the Jewish hospital here at 10:30 yesterday morning. Death followed a long illness. Mrs. Sewell having been operated on a year ago and was under treatment at the hospital for six weeks prior to her death.

She was the wife of Nat B. Sewell, London, Ky., coal and timber operator, who formerly was State Inspector and Examiner, and served as a member of the State Workmen's Compensation Board. Mrs. Sewell was a member of the State Library Board, having served two terms as chairman.

Mrs. Sewell was a native of Jefferson County, having been born and reared near Fern Creek. Before her marriage to Mr. Sewell six years ago she was head of the Department of English and American Literature at the Western Kentucky State Normal School at Bowling Green. For the last four years she represented the Times as a special correspondent at London.

Mrs. Sewell was educated in the public schools of Jefferson county, at the Southern Normal school at Bowling Green and at the Universities of Chicago and California. Mrs. Sewell served as chairman of the State Library Commission under Govs. A. O. Stanley and E. F. Morrow, and recently was reappointed a member of the board for a four year term by Gov. W. J. Field. She also was a member of the Elson club, a widely known historical organization.

For a number of years Mrs. Sewell took a keen interest in club and educational activities. During the last several years of her life she was especially active in civic and educational work in Eastern Kentucky. She wrote many newspaper and magazine articles dealing with civic subjects. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at London, with the Rev. Dr. E. W. Elliott, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Fern Creek, officiating. Burial will be in the London cemetery.

Distinguished Pastor Here the Walnut Hill Christian Church of the Rev. A. B. Reeves, Dr. Castleberry will be one of the speakers at the L. M. U. commencement.

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# Heilmann Again In Lead Of Major League Batters

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Harry Heilmann, of the Tigers has returned to the batting leadership of the American League with a mark of .435, five points under his average of .440, which then put him second, according to averages released today, which include games of Wednesday.

Kenneth Williams, St. Louis slugger who at the last compilation was chief swatter with an average of .447, tumbled violently to .395 and stands number two. Ike Boone, former Texas League now with the Red Sox, hit his way into third position with .355.

"Babe" Ruth, has about found his stride with an average of .336. In making his march toward the top the home run king crashed out two circuit drives and ran his string to eleven.

Heilmann increased his lead in total bases to 97, while Joe Harris of Boston, ran his total of runs scored to 34.

Eddie Collins stepped just one base faster than his teammate Bill Barfield, which put him in the front with nine.

George Siler slid further down the column, his average being .291 compared with .333 a week ago.

Other leading batters: J. Harris, Boston .376; Meusel, New York, .372; Jamieson, Cleveland .367; Cobb, Detroit .347; Dugan, New York .347; Ruth, New York .336; Judge, Washington .333; Sheely, Chicago .330; Jacobson, St. Louis .330.

## National League

Max Flack of the Cardinals, and Jimmy Tierney of the Braves, in the National League, each boosted his mark until now they are keeping company with the leaders, who are being shown the way by Rogers Hornsby, who is comfortably in first place with .421. George Kelly of the Giants, runner-up with .387, displaced Zack Wheat of the Dodgers, who dropped to third with an average of .380. Flack and Tierney are tied with .328.

Hornsby pushed his total base record to 93. Frank Frisch of the Giant swelled his total tallies to 35. Jacques Fournier of the Dodgers, garnered another homer and leads with nine; George Grantham of the Cubs, stole another base and broke the

triple tie of a week ago. He has ten. Other leader batters: Snyder, New York .360; Fournier, Brooklyn .356; Frisch, New York .342; Grantham, Chicago .329; Flack, St. Louis .328; Tierney, Boston .328; Grimes, Chicago .326; Young, New York .325; Pittsburgh .322.

## American Association

Neun of St. Paul, who challenged Bunny Brief of Kansas City for the leadership among the batters of the American Association, has dethroned the Kaws' slugger, who failed to keep up his hitting, while Neun smashed out 11 hits in his last seven games, acquiring an average of .438 compared with .414 a week ago. Brief dropped to .410, a loss of 24 points. Allen of Indianapolis trailed with .393. Reb Russell of Columbus and Walker of Minneapolis are tied for home run honors with six each.

In addition to jumping out in front among the batters, Neun also is showing his heels to the base stealers with 20 thefts, a mark which is better than in practically every league.

Other leading batters: Betzel, Louisville .390; M. Shannon, Louisville .382; Covington, Louisville .382; Dressen, St. Paul .377; Lamar, Toledo .371; Maguire, Toledo .367; P. Scott, Kansas City .359; Grimes, Columbus .355; Brown, Indianapolis .346.

## Western League

Cullop, Omaha's hitting outfielder, tops the batters of the Western League with an average of .417 for twenty-five games. Davis of Tulsa, is a close second with .431, a gain of 12 points over the previous week.

Davis made two circuit drives in the last week and leads the home run hitters with an even dozen, Washburn, a teammate has ten.

Smith of Wichita is blazing the way on the paths with ten stolen bases, a gain of one. Gorman of Denver, pulled away from Washburn, as a runner, by breaking the tie. Gorman has scored 46 times to Washburn's 44.

Other leading batters: Miller, St. Joseph .426; Robinson, Omaha .407; Austin, Tulsa .404; Dunning, Wichita .399; Lelivelt, Tulsa .397; Berger, Denver .383; O'Brien, Denver .382; Lamb, Tulsa .360; Luders, Oklahoma

City .355; Felber, Oklahoma City .353. Southern League  
J. Smith of Atlanta went on a batting rampage and boosted himself from .376 to second place among the batters of the Southern Association. In his last seven games he was at bat 33 times and collected eleven hits for an average of .393. Lapan of Little Rock, continued his heavy hitting and holds a safe lead for premier honors, his average being .441. Carlisle of Memphis, runner-up a week ago slipped, into third place with an average of .381.

The home run leaders, Lapan and Paschal of Atlanta, each added a circuit blow to his string. They are tied with six each.

Marriott of Mobile leads the base stealers with 16 thefts. Stewart of Birmingham is his nearest rival with 13. Paschal took lead as a runner with 41.

Other leading batters: Taylor, Memphis .372; Knobe, Birmingham .368; J. Stewart, Birmingham .362; Spencer, Birmingham .359; Mulvey, Mobile .341; Hawks, Nashville .338; Paschal, Atlanta .338; Burrus, Atlanta .331; D. Williams, Mobile .333.

## Middlesboro Ball Team Plays LaFollette Here

The Middlesboro baseball team was scheduled to clash with LaFollette here at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The event has been widely advertised today by the local boys and a good crowd at the field was expected.

One of the unique advertising devices employed by the home team was a huge baseball, over two feet in diameter, on exhibition on Cumberland avenue this morning. The mammoth ball bore advertising of the event.

## Kind-Hearted Girl

"And why did old Steppout will that chorus girl half his fortune?" "She once saved his life." "Indeed! How?" "She ignored him one time when he was accompanied by his wife."

## Time Is Money

Note received by clergyman: "This is to let you know that me and Miss Sarah Giltopski are coming to your church on Saturday afternoon next to undergo the operation of matrimony at your hands. Please be there promptly, as the cab is hired by the hour."

# Harlan News Items

## HARLAN'S TAX RATES RAISED

Seven Million Dollars Added to the Present Assessment — More Taxes.

HARLAN, May 31.—Despite the fact that state taxpayers were promised a reduction in taxes under the Nelson Bill, a boost in property assessments will mean a net increase of \$10,000 in the taxes of Harlan county this year over those of 1923.

By the Nelson Bill state taxes were reduced from forty to thirty cents per hundred though another clause of the measure allowed an increase in assessments which, being exercised, amounts to a raise in taxes.

In 1923 Harlan county paid upon a total valuation of \$23,831,165, which at forty cents on the one hundred dollars, yielded \$95,324.66. The total assessed valuation of Harlan county for 1924 is \$24,124,385, and to this the State Tax Commission has added a raise of about 30 per cent, making a total valuation of \$31,361,335. Under the Nelson Bill, providing for a tax rate of only 30 cents on the one hundred dollars, this will cost the taxpayers of Harlan county \$104,085.50, or almost \$10,000.00 more than they paid in 1923.

## Harlan Case In Court

FRANKFORT, May 31.—Motions to the Court of Appeals yesterday for Harlan county follow: Frank Clem vs. Commonwealth, appellant filed brief.

## E. M. Howard Dies Month After His Wife

HARLAN, May 31.—Death of Elhanan M. Howard, 69, Master Commissioner of Harlan county, marks the passing of one of the pioneer citizens of Harlan county. He had been ill for some time, though it was not until Friday, last week, that his sickness reached a serious stage. His wife died at Baxter on May 2.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon by the Rev. W. L. Balderson. Burial was at the family cemetery at Baxter. The deceased was born and raised in this county, living in the vicinity of Baxter. He was a member of the Christian Church and the Masonic lodge. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. N. S. Howard of Harlan, and Mrs. Charlie Gregory and Mrs. Daniel

Ball f Baxter; two sons, E. V. Howard and J. S. Howard; one brother, M. W. Howard, and a half sister, Mrs. E. J. Howard.

## Former Local Man Weds Wallins Girl

WALLINS, May 31.—Marriage of Miss Grace Howard, daughter of Joe Howard, to John P. Rowlett, took place at Cumberland Gap, May 17. Mr. Rowlett who formerly lived in Middlesboro is now employed by the Fordson Coal company at Wallins. The couple will make their home with the bride's parents until fall at which time they will build a home in Wallins.

## Judge Forester and Family to Hot Springs

HARLAN, May 31.—Judge and Mrs. J. S. Forester and children all left Wednesday for an extensive tour that will end at Hot Springs, Ark., where they will spend about a month's time on a family vacation. Their daughters, Misses Helen and Studie went to Knoxville a few days in advance visiting friends, and joined their parents there as they drove

through. The Foresters had shipped their car to Pineville. It was from that point that they began the drive toward Hot Springs.

## JOY BOYERS WINS SPEEDWAY CLASSIC

Millionaire Racer Finishes First at Indianapolis Averaging 98.34 Miles An Hour.

By Associated Press. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 31.—Previous automobile speed records were smashed when Joe Boyer of Detroit made an average of 98.24 miles per hour on the speedway in the annual 500-mile gasoline classic. L. L. Corum of Indianapolis, shared honors with Boyer and it was ruled by the judging committee that he would be credited with the victory.

Setting a terrific speed pace in the winning machine, Boyer moved from fourth to first place and took the lead from Earl Cooper. He maintained this lead to the end. The elapsed time for the entire route was five hours, five minutes and twenty-three and fifty-one hundredths seconds, breaking the record set by Murphy last year.

Cooper's steady driving which kept him in front almost from the start seemed almost certain to bring him victory but tire trouble before he reached the goal caused him to lag

behind Boyer who was pressing him closely. Cooper, however, took second prize of \$10,000 cash.

To Boyer goes the credit of first bringing his car across the finish line while to Corum who was in the driver's seat when it started will go the prize money of \$30,000.

## Logical Extravagance

"I hear," said Smith, "that you bring your wife a box of candy every day."

"Yes," replied Newlywed, "it's always a comfortable feeling to know that you have something to eat in the house!"

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Texas Lady Says Her Family  
Has Been Taking Thedford's  
Black-Draught, When  
Needed, for Many Years.

Alto, Texas.—"We inherited the use of Black-Draught in our family," says Mrs. Mary Shuptrine, who lives near here on R. F. D. 2. "My grandmother was an old woman when she died about ten years ago, and she had been using it literally ever since I can remember. She gave it to her children and grandchildren for biliousness and stomach complaints, so when I went to housekeeping we just naturally used it, too."

"I give it to my children for purgative whenever they need one, and we are never without it. Made into tea, it surely is fine. It's the best home remedy for headache and constipation I know of."

During over 80 years of its continued popularity, Black-Draught has become the standard liver medicine in many thousands of homes, where it has been found of great benefit in the treatment of constipation, biliousness, indigestion and other common liver, stomach and bowel complaints. Ten million packages of Black-Draught are now sold a year, as more and more people are learning of the value of this well-known remedy.

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# His Last Shot Kills Teacher

Boy, 16, Who Always Liked to Hunt and Kill With an Ever Ready Gun,  
Lands in Murderer's Cell Charged With Death of His Teacher.

By Harold Matson

Amherst, Me., May 31.—Roland MacDonald, 16, overgrown, fierce, a boy of the woods, liked most to prowling alone in the hills, gun in hand.

Everybody in Amherst knew of the boy Roland's skill with a gun. When he was a small boy he was a good hunter. Birds were easy prey for him. He stalked big game. And he loved to skin his game, and clean it. Outlines, when the sport in the woods palled on him he carried his hunting to within the limits of this small town. Pets fell under his fire.

Whang! The report of his gun could be heard echoing out of the woods, and the 200 residents of Amherst knew that Roland was killing again. To them he was the town's "bad boy," and accepted as such. Surely, his mother could not be blamed for there were nine younger brothers and sisters, and his father worked in the woods.

One day at dusk the boy was returning from the woods, gun in hand. Near the Williams' house, on a secluded trail, he heard a rustle. With the instinct of a hunter the boy concealed himself in the bushes.

A girl walked the path. Roland recognized her. She was his teacher, Louise Gerrish, 19, "from out of town."

Roland didn't like school. He was always the oldest boy in his class. And then there was that money the teacher collected from pupils for selling little bottles of perfume for a mail order company.

Whang! The people of Amherst heard the echoing report and knew that Roland was killing again.

The following day the teacher failed to appear at school. When it became known that she was mysteriously missing a searching party was organized. Roland, the boy with the gun, joined the party.

On the trail, near the Williams' house, they discovered tracks, and then a patch of freshly tilled soil under a tree. Roland helped them dig into the soft earth. He helped them lift the body of Louise Gerrish, shot in the breast.

The sheriff was baffled. He held the young teacher's men friends and questioned. He questioned everyone of the 200 people in Amherst, but there was no clue. Then special detectives were called from the big city. They turned their attention to Roland. Casually, almost boastfully he confessed, according to the detectives.

"I don't know why I killed her," he said, "she was coming and I had my gun with me. I was hunting for a deer."



ROLAND MACDONALD, 16, HELD FOR THE MURDER OF HIS TEACHER, MISS LOUISE GERRISH. IN LOWER PICTURE HE IS SHOWN POINTING TO THE SPOT (MARKED BY THE CROSS) WHERE THE BODY WAS FOUND IN A WOODS NEAR AMHERST, MAINE.

"I fired. I didn't bury her body then because it was supper time, but I came back in the morning." Unemotionally the boy took the officers to the scene of the murder. He described in detail how he killed the girl. He pointed to the grave. He crawled into the shallow hole to show how he had placed the body.

"I just set her body against the tree over night," he said, "dismembering the incident, his body, his mind, his soul."

a deer. "But she didn't have that when because it was supper time, but I came back in the morning."

All of that is what the detectives alleged.

Now Roland is in jail, a bit dazed, but unrepentant.

And Amherst, secluded Maine woods town, knows that it won't hear the whang of Roland's gun any more, and school is suspended while another

## FOR THE PREVENTION OF SIMPLE GOITER

## A New Prophylactic Treatment

That Everyone Should Know About —

Medical science has made another wonderful discovery—one that will prove of incalculable benefit to this and future generations. The alarming prevalence of Goiter in many sections of the country has been a matter of deep concern to health authorities for several years past. It was well known that the cause of Goiter is a deficiency of Iodine in the Thyroid Gland. How to supply this Iodine to the thyroid was the problem. IODIZED SALT is the answer; not a medicinal salt to be taken in doses, but ordinary table salt to which the prescribed amount of Iodine has been added. It is to be used every day, ON

THE TABLE AND FOR COOKING, so that everybody will get it. This method of administering Iodine will, the doctors have discovered, prevent simple Goiter.



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The State Department of Health, West Virginia, is authority for the statement that in some towns in the State as high as 64 per cent of the school girls are affected with simple Goiter.

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## KENTUCKY WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Progress In Business and Construction Shown In All Parts of State.

LOUISVILLE, May 30.—The weekly industrial review of Kentucky follows:

**Balkan**—Southern Mining Company completes installation of electric substation.

**Murray**—Dark Tobacco Growers Association reports increased deliveries at receiving stations throughout district.

**Middlesboro**—East End closed for construction and repair work.

**Marion**—Crittenden county poultry sales in April totaled 75,000 pounds, doubling output for same period last year.

**Lexington**—Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association announces proposed establishment of agricultural bank to loan money on participating certificates to growers of Burley district in Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana, Missouri, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia.

**Lawrenceburg**—Approximately \$17,000 to be spent rebuilding Lawrenceburg Baptist church.

**Murray**—Erection of \$150,000 administration building at Murray Normal school to start upon completion of \$100,000 building now under construction.

**Hendersonville**—Contract awarded at \$100,000 for construction of Masonic temple.

**Glasgow**—Biggest building boom in history of city under way; sixty houses being erected at cost of \$200,000.

**Ormsley**—Thirteen new buildings to be erected at Louisville and Jefferson County Children's Home, estimated cost of \$300,000.

**Hazard**—Contract awarded at \$114,684.80 for paving of 1.73 miles of city streets.

**Louisville**—Nine dwelling houses, costing \$3,500 each, to be erected on west Kentucky street.

**Hazard**—Construction of \$114,861.74 school building completed.

**Stanford**—Arrangements completed for construction of Stanford road to Boyle county line. Boyle county assures construction of road to Lebanon at early date.

**Corn** variety tests to be conducted by 95 farmers in 24 counties of Kentucky this year.

**Lexington**—State highway commission approves nineteen road projects to be constructed during next two years.

**Acreage** of soybeans in central Kentucky to be trebled this year, according to crops specialist of Kentucky College of Agriculture.

**Ewing**—Ewing Roller Mills, closed for several years, to be reopened at once.

**Louisville** establishes April building record in sixteen southern states with total of \$4,659,690, including \$1,500,000 hotel, \$1,260,000 Ford assembly plant and large apartment house.

**Hazard**—Coolidge Coal Company resumes operation after one year's shut down.

**Middlesboro**—Residence building in West End district resumed in earnest this spring.

**Frankfort**—Business conditions throughout Kentucky reported good with every indication of continued improvement.

**Middlesboro**—Coal mining company operating in district reports orders on file sufficient to keep property busy twelve months.

## KENTUCKY SECOND IN OIL PRODUCTION

Passes Illinois In April—Pennsylvania Is the First East Side of Mississippi.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—Continuing to increase its output, Kentucky in April, passed Illinois, which has been leading all the eastern states in the production of petroleum, but at the same time Pennsylvania took a sudden spurt and passed both Kentucky and Illinois, leaving Kentucky still second among the states east of the Mississippi river in output.

Kentucky's daily average production increased, according to figures of the United States geological survey, from 18,916 barrels in January to 21,413 barrels in April. Illinois, leading in the first three months of the year, decreased to 20,000 barrels in April, while Pennsylvania jumped to 21,967. Ohio produced an average of 19,767 barrels and West Virginia 17,067.

## New Cumberland Block IS Ready for Concrete

The block between Eighteenth street and Fitzpatrick avenue on Cumberland avenue has been graded and is now ready for the concrete. The completion of this part of the street will be the last link in the Cumberland avenue street construction and connect East End with the remainder of the town.

## Convention Nights Will See New York Ablaze With Lights

Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 30.—The show places of Manhattan will be clothed at night, during the Democratic National Convention, in a mantle of incandescence beside which the Great White Way will pale into insignificance.

The undertaking has been sponsored by business men's associations in cooperation with the big electric companies, and huge sums are to be spent in carrying it out.

Madison Square Garden, the adjoining park and all the immediate section will be festooned with myriads of twinkling bulbs, and sprayed by batteries of floodlights. The Broadway Association intends to make its thoroughfare, the longest in the world, a Great White Way from end to end.

The Fifth Avenue Association will rival Broadway by keeping its gorgeously decorated shop windows uncurtained at night; by flooding them with "color symphonies" of electric light, and by training spot illuminants upon the outlines of the avenue's most imposing structures.

Searchlights will be brought by the Merchants Association to play upon the lowering pinnacles of the Metropolitan, Woolworth and other tall buildings.

## MISSOURI RIVER CHANGING COURSE

Unless Waters Checked Thousands of Acres Will Be Inundated.

GLASGOW, Mo., May 29.—The Missouri river is running away! Tired of its old course, it is seeking new fields to conquer.

And unless the waters are checked soon, this is what will happen: Thousands of acres of rich farmland will be inundated.

The Chicago and Alton railroad will have to find a new right of way along the river front.

Two new bridges—one erected by the state, the other by the railroad, will be left standing "high and dry."

And here after are would be transferred from one county to another—for the river is a boundary line—with bewildering losses and litigation.

Trains of old box cars are being dumped into the river in an effort to divert its course. Brush is being cut down and piled against the river bank. Stones and every available obstacle are being rolled into the water, where it is eating its way through on a new channel.

And Central Missouri towns are taking turns "closing up shop" so that merchants, professional men and clerks may be released for service at "the front." Hundreds of men daily are on the job.

Weeks—even months—may pass before the fight is won. Meanwhile, hundreds of farms face the possibility of seeing their lands become a part of the new river bed.

## LA FOLLETTE TO HAVE NEW PARK

Old Cemetery In Center of the City to Be Converted Into Place of Beauty.

LA FOLLETTE, Tenn., May 30.—Plans for the conversion of an old cemetery here into a beautiful civic park are under way. Deed to the property has been transferred to the city by the Roane Iron company and the proposition has the endorsement of the city commission, civic clubs and leading citizens.

By the plan the town will be provided with a beautiful six-acre park. The site contains 399 known graves, the markers of which have long since crumbled away. The place has been a civic eyesore for some time and the change in it will be acceptable to the people of the town. The only expense incidental to the improvement will be the removal of the remains and the work of beautification.

## No Cause for Pessimism In Business Outlook

ATLANTA, Ga., May 30.—There is no cause for pessimism in the present business outlook, and all that is necessary is for industrial and commercial leaders to "sit steady in the boat," J. W. Meeker, Jr., of the American Steel and Wire company, of Chicago, told delegates at the closing session of the Southeastern Hardware and Implement association convention here yesterday.

"One of the weaknesses of the public is the habit of gauging prosperity by peaks attained in periods of so-called good times, rather than on the average," Meeker asserted. "There is no reason for a pessimistic outlook and business in general must continue going ahead on a steady basis. In other words, sit steady in the boat."

ings whose lofty crests also will be flumed against the sky by strings of smaller lamps.

The "Gilded Way" which was erected in honor of celebrated allied leaders who visited America during the world war, will be lighted once more.

Business men's organizations are busy with other plans for keeping convention visitors interested. The Fifth Avenue and the Thirty-fourth Street associations will install in front of each of their member shops a man who will be a walking bureau of information. A national chain store corporation is sending posters throughout the country with an invitation to come here and see the convention sights. The Broadway Association is starting classes where clerks will learn all about the convention, to stimulate their interest in and enable them intelligently to answer customer's queries.

An association of movie house operators has arranged for delegates, men and women, to be conducted through the several large filming studios in Manhattan and nearby. There also will be a series of studio receptions for women, where they will have opportunity to meet the sheiks and the vamps of the screen in person.

## FIVE KILLED DAILY IN BRITISH MINES

President of Miners' Federation Quotes Statistics in London Speech.

By Associated Press. LONDON, May 30.—Herbert Smith, president of the Miners' Federation, gave some statistics regarding fatalities in the coal mines of Britain, little known to the average person, in his opening speech at the miners' wages inquiry.

In 1923, he said, 212,256 men were disabled for more than seven days, and in addition 1,297 lives were lost. These figures meant that every working day more than five persons were killed. Every 215,000 tons of coal raised was stained with one man's blood. Every working day 850 men were injured.

"If the victims of accidents in the mines," Mr. Smith continued, "were marshalled in one procession, four men in a rank and each rank one and a half yards apart, they would have a procession of 45 miles. Every 15 yards of that tragic march they would have an ambulance containing a man who was seriously injured and every 51 yards a hearse. This is part of the miner's wages, part of the price he pays in the struggle with natural forces that people may have coal and he and his family bread."

## Disease Germs Live In German Currency

By Associated Press. BERLIN, May 29.—Disease germs are much more prevalent among post-war bank notes in Germany than they were in the paper money in use before the war, investigators have found, because of the fact that the currency is handled much more frequently than prior to 1914. This because there is less of it.

Investigators in Berlin found that coined money is virtually innocuous, owing to the self-disinfecting action of the metal itself, and because its small, smooth surface prevents development of the germs. "The dirt, least piece of copper or silver is, from the standpoint of a bacteriologist, better than newly-issued paper money," says the report.

## Plan to Display Million Ponies at Show

By Associated Press. DES MOINES, Ia., May 30.—A million pony blooms will be on exhibition here at the National Pony Show June 14-16, it is stated by F. T. Meredith, former secretary of agriculture, who is general chairman of the show. Mr. Meredith said that it will be the greatest exhibition of a single lower ever held. More than 250 varieties will be on display.

Exhibitors will be here from all parts of the United States and Canada. One Massachusetts grower will bring a carload of ponies across the country for the event. Amateurs as well as commercial growers will exhibit.

**New Benches On Vacant Lot**  
Members of the idle set and visitors from the country have been provided with new benches on the vacant lot at the corner of Nineteenth street and Cumberland avenue. The old ones which were confiscated by the owners for use in an outlying church were not returned and it was necessary to build new ones.

One hundred and forty-five colleges in the United States have endowments of \$1,000,000 or more.

## LOCALS

Ezra Richardson, employee of the Southern Mining company at Colmar, had an operation for appendicitis at the Broshier-Drummett hospital yesterday.

F. C. Oakley of Corbin was in Middlesboro yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owens of Lena Rue were visiting here Friday.

G. A. and Lewis Middleton of Evans were here on business yesterday.

T. U. Martin of Corbin was in Middlesboro yesterday.

Mrs. G. Kelly of Benham was visiting in Middlesboro yesterday.

Coach and Mrs. Rollin Garritt and little daughter, Max Anderson and Miss Ruth Sulfridge, all of Lincoln Memorial University, were in Middlesboro yesterday.

Mrs. Ellen Drain is spending the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Orin Lee, in Wallins Creek.

Mrs. L. E. Pratt left Friday for a week or ten days visit with her son, W. M. Pratt, in Corbin.

R. E. Hicks and E. T. Hicks of Harlan, and Billy Woodruff and Benny Wingfield of Bristol, Tenn., were all in Middlesboro today to attend regular salesmen meeting of Armour & Company.

Mrs. W. J. Wolf Bristol, Tenn., will arrive in Middlesboro tonight to join her husband who is employed as stock clerk with Armour & Company.

Dr. and Mrs. O. O. Stone and Miss Bertha Pratt motored to Pineville yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Byers and children of Lynch are here, the guests of Mrs. R. L. Hoskins and family.

Mrs. E. D. Wells and two children, Nancy Belle and Dan, arrived yesterday from Welch, W. Va., to join Dr. Wells and make their home here.

"They will be at home in the Remmebaum house of West Cumberland avenue, which Dr. Wells recently purchased."

Misses Kern Walker and Barbara Disceglia motored to Perryville, Ky., this morning for a two week stay at John Allen to satisfy a lien we hold on said property for \$11.55. This sale will be made in conformity to Kentucky Statute No. 2739b-2.

**MOTCH MOTOR COMPANY.**  
By A. B. Motch.

Miss Jess Buchanan will return today from Harlan, Tenn., where she has been spending the week with her sister, Mrs. O. D. French.

Miss Earle Buchanan has taken a month's visit in Coal Creek and Egan, Tenn., with friends and relatives. She reports an excellent trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson leave Monday for Davisburg where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Overton and family will be guests tomorrow at the Frank Richardson home in Cumberland Gap and will attend the L. M. U. commencement exercises at Harrogate.

Capt. W. H. Davis has been in Wallins this week.

Mrs. C. T. Gordon arrived this morning from Wilkinsburg, Penn., for a visit at the F. M. Gordon home.

Lee Mitchell will go to Washington tomorrow for a visit.

Miss Margaret Davis and Miss

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that we will, on June 10th, 1924, sell one Old Hudson Automobile, about 1913 model, the property of Essie Wigfall, left in storage with us, and remaining for more than 30 days, and against which automobile we have charges amounting to \$15.45 for labor performed, accessories furnished, storage and costs furnished by us.

Sale will be made at our garage in Middlesboro, Ky.

This May 31, 1924.

By J. W. Scales. SCALES BROS. (adv.)

Notice of Sale  
Take notice that we, Motch Motor Company, will on June 7th, 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon offer for sale to the highest and best bidder one Ford Car, touring, Motor No. 77720028, model 1923, the property of John Allen to satisfy a lien we hold on said property for \$11.55. This sale will be made in conformity to Kentucky Statute No. 2739b-2.

**MOTCH MOTOR COMPANY.**  
By A. B. Motch.

Charlotte Stiles, Middlesboro school teachers, leave Monday for Eastern Kentucky State Normal at Richmond where they will be in school during the summer. Miss Davis will visit relatives in Central Kentucky, also.

Hugh C. Richardson returned yesterday from several weeks' visit with relatives in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren P. Rash will attend commencement exercises in Harrogate tomorrow.

Miss Louise Doty and Miss Myrtle Simpson left last night for their homes in Owenenton. They were teachers in the public schools here the past year.

## I. O. O. F.

Tomorrow, June 1st, Decoration Day. All Odd Fellows meet at I. O. O. F. Hall, 1:30 p. m. Bring flowers. W. E. JOHNS, N. G.

## CLASSIFIED WANT DIRECTORY

CLASSIFIED: (Undisplayed) cash with order, 2c per word first insertion, 1c per word subsequent insertions. No advertisement taken for less than 20c. Classified display on special contract by month or year.

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FOR SALE—Or Exchange—8 acres close in. Now rented at \$10 per month. Consider exchange for good car. Cumb. phone 307-J. 6-14tf

FOR SALE—Maple bed room suit; 2 large rugs; Davinette; rocking chairs; range; dresser; 2 garden plows. Chas. E. Cooke. 5-31

FOR SALE—Ford Rdst. \$100. Ford Touring \$125. Dort Touring \$160. Chevrolet Coupe \$550. See Murray at Faulconer's Garage. 5-8tf

FOR SALE: Garage business. As I am forced to retire to the country for my health, I will offer for sale the stock, equipment, machinery, etc., of my garage business in this city. Or I will sell in part to a managing partner. If interested write a call to H. Lee, 319 Nineteenth St., Middlesboro, or Cumberland phone 560-1, before June 7. 5-31

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5 room flat with bath, 1 three room flat furnished or unfurnished. Call Dr. J. P. Brashear, Cumb. Phone 105. 5-15tf

FOR RENT, furnished front room on Cumberland Avenue. All conveniences. Inquire 633.

FOR RENT—2 furnished or unfurnished rooms. Please see Mrs. W. C. Pearman over Brownie Theatre. Special terms if rented this week. 5-31pd

FOR RENT. Rooms for rent, over Easter's store. Apply to Easter Bros. 26tf

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Small gold watch chain, with knife attached; initials I. J. W. Return to Daily News Office. Reward. (5-30-pd)

LOST last night between Edgewood Road and Cumberland Hotel, pair of shell-rimmed glasses. Finder return to Daily News office.

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light house-keeping. Phone 63. 1f

Now only patented household appliance has Sensational Demand. Live Wire earn big, quick profits and build up permanent businesses. Write for full particulars. Factory Manager, Box 929, New Orleans, Louisiana. 6-2pd

ALL who are interested in taking a summer course in shorthand and typewriting call Mrs. W. R. Estep. Old Phone 598-J. 6-7

WANTED—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern; West End. O. G. Martin, Box 454, Middlesboro, or Hubbard Construction Co. 1f

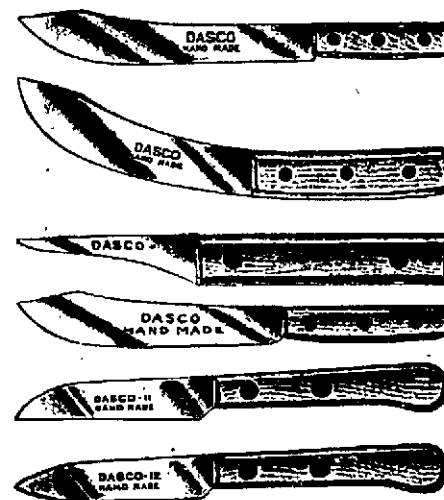
MANICURING—facials, hair curling, and arching. Hotel Cumberland Barber Shop. Miss Boring. John Wilson, manager. 6-3pd

# Special Sale on Dasco Kitchen Knives

Beginning Saturday, May 31st and Closing Saturday, June 7th

These are the same Knives demonstrated by Mr. Mascott during the Harvest Festival here last fall. These are bargains not found every day. If you don't need them now, you will later. Buy while you can save money.

All Dasco Tools and all Dasco Pocket Knives at 20% Off the regular selling price during this sale.



ITEMS	Reg Price	Sale Price
Paring Knives	.....	\$.25 .20
No. 20—5-inch Blade Kitchen Knives	.....	.50 .40
No. 21—6-inch Blade Kitchen Knives	.....	.75 .60
No. 23—7-inch Blade Kitchen Knives	.....	.85 .70
No. 25—8-inch Blade Kitchen Knives	.....	1.00 .80
No. 52—12-inch Blade Steak Knives	.....	2.00 1.60
No. 62—12-inch Blade Steak Knives	.....	2.00 1.60
No. 60—10-inch Blade Steak Knives	.....	1.50 1.20
No. 51—14-inch Blade Steak Knives	.....	2.50 2.00
No. 60—14-inch Blade Steak Knives	.....	2.75 2.00
No. 48—8-inch Blade Steel Knives	.....	1.25 .80
No. 50—10-inch Blade Steak Knives	.....	1.65 1.20
No. 91—6-inch Blade Boning Knives	.....	.85 .65
No. 82—7-inch Blade Boning Knives	.....	1.00 .80
No. 80—5-inch Blade Boning Knives	.....	.80 .60
No. 30—Sticking Knives	.....	1.00 .75
No. 28—Ribbing Knives	.....	1.35 1.00
No. 40—10-inch Blade Slicing Knives	.....	1.25 .90
No. 42—12-inch Blade Slicing Knives	.....	1.50 1.00
No. 44—14-inch Blade Slicing Knives	.....	1.75 1.25

We are putting on this sale for the purpose of getting our customers more familiar with the "DASCO" line of Kitchen Knives. Our sale price on several of these items is below our cost. will pay postage on all mail orders.

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